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2013 STUDY OF THE U.S. INSTITUTE OF THE U.S. PROGRAMS NOW OPEN FOR APPLICATIONS

The U.S. Embassy in Kuala Lumpur's Public Affairs Section is pleased to invite candidates to apply for the 2013 Study of the U.S. Institute (SUSI) programs which will be held in the June-July period next year. The programs are suitable for undergraduate student leaders, secondary educators and scholars.

SUSI Program for Secondary Educators (June 2013)	Objectives: To provide educators (classroom teachers, teacher trainers, curriculum developers, textbook writers, ministry of education officials) with a deeper understanding of U.S. in order to strengthen curricula and to improve the quality of teaching about the United States in secondary schools and other academic institutions.	Deadline for applications: December 12, 2012
SUSI Program for Scholars (June 2013) Topics <ul style="list-style-type: none">American Politics and Political ThoughtsContemporary	Objectives: To provide university faculty and other professionals understanding of American society, culture and institutions, past and present.	Deadline for applications: December 12, 2012

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> American Literature • Journalism and Media • Religious Pluralism in the United States • U.S. Culture and Society • U.S. Foreign Policy 		
SUSI Program for Student Leaders on Global Environmental Issues (June-July 2013)	Objectives: To provide undergraduate student leaders with a deeper understanding of the United States while simultaneously enhancing their leadership skills. The program aims to explore the role that environmental policy has played in the economic and political development of the United States.	Deadline for applications: December 15, 2012

The Study of the U.S. Institute will cover all participant costs, including: program administration; international travel costs, domestic travel and ground transportation; book, cultural, mailing and incidental allowances; housing and subsistence.

For more information about the Study of the U.S. Institute (SUSI) programs:

http://malaysia.usembassy.gov/susi_summer.html

To submit an application or for further inquiries, all are welcome to contact the Cultural Affairs section, Public Affairs, U.S. Embassy Kuala Lumpur at: (03) 2168-5000; or e-mail: publicaffairskl@gmail.com